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**Collection Overview**

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Title: Professional Activity Files

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**Administrative Information**

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**Descriptive Entry**

This accession consists of records documenting the professional activities and official travel of the Director of the Smithsonian Institution's Biodiversity Program, Don E. Wilson, 1990-2000. The bulk of the material relates to Wilson's participation in meetings regarding bat research. Records created prior to 1990 were created and transferred by Wilson upon his assumption of the Directorship. Materials include meeting and conference materials, reports, brochures, correspondence, agendas, minutes, and newsletters.

Professional organizations mentioned in these records include: the American Society of Mammalogists; the Organization for Tropical Studies; the Association for Tropical Biology; the International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources; and the Association of Systematic Collections.

**Names and Subject Terms**

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:
- Bats
- Mammals
- Professional associations
- Vertebrates
- Zoology
- Zoology -- Nomenclature
Types of Materials:
Brochures
Clippings
Manuscripts
Pamphlets

Names:
American Society of Mammalogists
Association for Tropical Biology
Association of Systematics Collections.
International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources
Organization for Tropical Studies
Wilson, Don E.
Container Listing

Box 1

Parks Congress

OTS (Organization for Tropical Studies)

IUCN (International Union for Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources)

International Expeditions (2 folders)

India

JSF Volume

China

Association for Tropical Biology (ATB)

Discovery online

Choeroniscus

San B. Ranch

Snake River

EOY (End of Year) Report, FY 1987

ICZN

Current Mammalogy (journal)

Chiapas Review

Bat Reproduction (Alex)

Ascora, Cesar

Endangered Species

Tadarida (2 folders)

Populations of Bats in the Southwest

For Wilson

Archives

Mammal Species: General Responses

Mammal Species: Address Changes

ASM Checklist Committee Members
Mammal Book Inquiries
Mammal Species: Update Letters
ATB - Editorial
Pteropus
OTS
Miscellaneous

Box 2
Illar Muul - Trip Report, Sabah, Malaysia (1989)
Illar Muul
Untitled folder
Carnegie
Association of Systematics Collections
Allen Press
Proposals
Samoa Project
Paraguay
Reprint Requests
BCI - Barro Colorado Island
International Bat Research Conference
Bat Banding - Recovery
Taiwan Symposium
UNM - University of New Mexico
I Congreso Latinoamericano de Teriologia
Eighth International Bat Research Conference, July 1989
1989 Mammal Meetings - Alaska (American Society of Mammalogists) (3 folders)
1991 Mammal Meetings - Kansas (American Society of Mammalogists)
1992 Mammal Meetings - Utah (American Society of Mammalogists)
ATB - Association for Tropical Biology
Macrophyllum